

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

MINES & MINERALS - Mining Lease for Dolomite over an extent of 20.00 hectares or 50.00 acres in Sy.No.398 of Chandana (V), Yadiki (M), Ananatapuram District, in favour of Sri I. Siva Prasad - Declared as lapsed under rule 28 (1) of M.C Rules, 1960 - Orders – Issued.

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INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (M.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 178.

Dated: 18.11.2014

Read the following:

- 1.G.O.Ms.No.404, Ind & Com (M-III) Dept., dt.20.11.1998.
- 2.From the Director of Mines & Geology, Government of A.P., Hyderabad file bearing No.5091/R4-1/13, Dated 07.12.2013.
- 3.Govt.Memo No.18493/M.III(2)/2013,Dt: 15.07.2014.

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ORDER :

Government in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, granted Mining Lease for Dolomite over an extent of 20.00 hectares or 50.00 acres in Sy. No. 398 of Chandana (V), Yadiki (M), Ananatapuram District, in favour of Sri I. Siva Prasad the Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Tadipatri, Anantapur District has executed the lease on 15.05.1999.

2. The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of A.P., Hyderabad in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above has reported that the lessee did not fulfill the following conditions and submitted proposals for lapsing of the above said mine held by Sri I. Siva Prasad under rule 28(1) of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 for considerations of the Government:

1. The lessee is not operating the mine since 01.07.2007.
2. The lessee is not maintained the boundary pillars in good order according to the demarcation shown in plan annexed to the lease deed..
3. The lessee has not conducting the mining operations systematically as per mining plan.
4. The lessee is not maintaining the registers showing the production and dispatches of the minerals produced from the subject mining lease.
5. The lessee has not established the weighing machine, at the mine site.
6. The lessee has not submitted the mining scheme for next five years.
7. The lessee is not submitting the monthly and annual returns regularly in form F(8) & Form H-8.
8. The lessee has not submitted mine closure plan.
9. The lessee has not submitted financial assurance for mine closure plan.
- 10.The lessee has not submitted the pollution control board certificate.
- 11.The lessee has not paid the dead rent every year.

(P.T.O.)

3. Government after considering the report of the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad, it was proposed to lapse the above mining lease held by Sri I. Siva Prasad and accordingly, a show cause notice was issued in the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above under rule 28 (1) of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 as to why the Mining Lease held by them shall not be declared as lapsed, and submit their explanation/ representation within 15 days failing which it will be construed that they have no explanation/ representation on the action proposed and further action will be taken on the material available with the Government.

4. It should be noted in this regard that mineral wealth is the wealth of the nation and should be put to use for public good. Government gave mining lease so that the lessee company could do mining scientifically within the prescribed time limits and use the mined mineral. Such a mine would generate revenue for the State by way of taxes, employment for the local people and give boost to the overall economy of the region besides industrializing the area. None of these objectives could be achieved due to the abject failure of the lessee company.

5. Government after careful consideration of the matter hereby declare the Mining Lease held by Sri I. Siva Prasad for Dolomite over an extent of 20.00 hectares or 50.00 acres in Sy. No. 398 of Chandana (V), Yadiki (M), Ananatapuram District, as lapsed under Rule 28(1) of M.C Rules, 1960, as the lessee has failed to fulfill the lease conditions.

6. The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.S.V.PRASAD  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
Sri I. Siva Prasad,  
Rayalacheruvu (V),  
Yadiki (M),  
Ananatapur District (RPAD).

The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of A.P., Hyderabad (w.e.file)

Copy to:

The Zonal Joint Director of Mines & Geology), Kadapa.

The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Anantapur .

The District Collector, Anantapur District .

The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Mines, Sastry Bhavan, New Delhi-110001.

The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Indira Bhavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur - 440001.

The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Jarkhand.

The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER